

PORTSMOUTH LOCAL NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS

ITEMS GATHERED
HERE AND THEREMiscellaneous Happenings Condensed
For Virginian-Pilot Readers.

MOVEMENTS OF PEOPLE

What is Going On in and Around
Portsmouth and Suburban Communities Gathered, Sifted and
Told in Few Words—The Past, the
Present and the Future Revealed,
Related and Foreshadowed.

Attention is called to the advertisement of H. B. Wilkins in this issue, in which he tells you that the storm had no effect on his wood, but that he has plenty, during which has been under cover all the time.

Attention is called to the advertisement of W. C. Nash, in which he tells you that you have one more chance to secure bargains for the next three days.

Miss Lizzie S. Morton, of Baltimore, formerly of this city, is spending a few weeks with her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stokes, of 401 Crawford street.

A telegram from the Rev. Z. S. Farland, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, who is in Richmond, yesterday announces that he returned last night, and will conduct services as usual today in St. John's Church.

Mr. W. C. Petty, general manager of the Carriage Railway, a North Carolina connection of the Seaboard Air Line, was here yesterday on business.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Emmett Deans. See what he has to say.

Mrs. Rosa Thomas Menger arrived here from Baltimore yesterday, and is stopping with her brother, Mr. Neely Thomas, on South street.

Mrs. W. F. Carby and granddaughters, Misses Albert and Piedmont, returned yesterday from a trip to Windsor, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Howell returned yesterday from Montgomery, White Sulphur, where they have been for a month.

The voters of the Third Ward will meet at Overton's store, corner of Bart and Edgingham streets, next Thursday night, to nominate two Councilmen to represent that ward, there being two vacancies in said ward.

Rev. Mr. Eggleston arrived home yesterday. He will fill his pulpit to-day.

Out of the five Methodist preachers that are stationed in the city, four of them are absent from the city. Rev. Mr. Beadles is the only one here.

Mr. Walter Stroud left yesterday for Surry county, to spend two weeks with his family, who are visiting there.

Mr. Charles Skeeter has returned from a trip to North Carolina.

Miss Belle Mathews, of Murfreesboro, N. C., is in the city on a visit to friends.

Joseph Skeeter was fined \$5 in the Mayor's Court yesterday for drunk and disorderly conduct on the streets.

C. R. Cherry was fined \$5 for an assault.

Miss Minnie Spindler, who has been extremely ill with typhoid fever, is slowly on the mend.

Everybody is wondering when the storm will break. Six consecutive days for such weather in this section is something unusual.

Mrs. Mary E. Turner, wife of H. E. Turner, is critically ill at her husband's residence on Chestnut street extended.

The fire-alarm system is again all right, notwithstanding the storm knocked it out for some time.

An accident to one of the pipes at the gas house yesterday morning caused the supply to be cut off for about two hours.

Rev. Mr. Mitchell and Rev. Mr. Blankenship will be absent one more Sunday from their charges.

A number of men in the construction department of the yard were furloughed Friday night for six days. The entire department will be furloughed for that time, but it will be given in broken doses.

Mrs. Bettie Smallwood, who has been visiting in the city, returned yesterday to her home in Richmond, via Norfolk and Western Railroad.

All the furniture, &c., in Hotel Portsmouth that was sold at auction on Friday was removed yesterday. The work of remodeling the hotel will be commenced to-morrow.

The effects of the storm are visible everywhere. The street cars were kept busy yesterday removing broken limbs, &c., from the streets and sidewalks.

A lighter loaded with offal from some of the slaughter houses that was en route to the guano factory up the river sank near Magnolia Bay, and all the stuff had floated on shore. If left to the sun it will smell terrible. It should be removed.

The news boys have had a hard time delivering their papers during the storm. It was with difficulty that they could be kept dry.

Quite a number of people who left an account of the yellow fever scare are returning home. The coming week will bring many more.

The Brandt Company tells you that if you have any idea of having a suit made to order don't fail to call and see them. They have just what you want. They also call attention to their shoe department, which is complete.

Mr. R. S. Brooks advertises both city and country property for sale in excellent location. For particulars see his advertisement.

Mr. W. C. Brooks has returned from Montvale, where he has been spending two weeks.

A double house is advertised for rent. See ad.

The next regular meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Christian Union will be held at the Elks' Hall Monday afternoon at 6 o'clock. A full attendance is requested. Collectors are especially requested to be present.

Good table boards are wanted at 405 Glasgow street. See ad.

company. The company desires to express their gratitude to these gentlemen for their kind remembrances.

A lost collar dog is advertised for. See ad.

The Old Point baseball club and the Ding Bat team will cross bats at Columbia Park Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. W. C. Petty, of Carthage, N. C., was in the city yesterday. Mr. Petty is a prominent railroad man.

Detective M. R. Muller, of the Washington, D. C. police force, arrived here yesterday and left last night with a man named Winninger, who is wanted in Washington for stealing a bicycle.

WHERE TO WORSHIP TO-DAY.
Below will be found a complete list of the churches of all denominations, and those who fill their pulpits:

Court Street Baptist Church.—Sunday school at 9:20 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. R. B. Garrett, D. D. Strangers especially invited. Seats free.

South Street Baptist.—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Whitehurst.

Wright Memorial M. E. Church, Rev. R. B. Blankenship, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. C. W. Pettit, and at 8 p. m. by Rev. Chas. I. Stangle.

St. Paul's Catholic Church, King street, near Dinwiddie, Rev. T. J. Brady, pastor; Rev. Wm. B. Hanley, assistant pastor.—First mass at 7 a. m. Children's mass at 9 a. m. High mass at 10:30 a. m. Vespers and benediction at 7:30 p. m.

Central M. E. Church, South County street, between Washington and Dinwiddie, Rev. R. F. Beadles, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

Central Mission, located between Cottage Place and Scottsville.—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Preaching at 4:30 p. m. by the Rev. R. F. Beadles.

The First Presbyterian Church, corner Court and King streets, Rev. R. B. Eggleston, pastor.—Services to-day as follows: Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching by the Rev. J. E. Brown at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Seats free and a cordial invitation to all of these services.

The Tait Memorial Presbyterian Church, North Portsmouth, (Pinner's Point) Rev. C. D. Gillespie, pastor.—Sunday school at 3 p. m. Preaching by the pastor at 4 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend both the Sunday school and preaching services.

Park View Baptist Church, Rev. W. F. Hines, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. J. M. Corbett, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Seats free. All receive cordial welcome.

Rev. E. L. Miller will occupy the pulpit at the Port Norfolk Baptist Church at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. to-day.

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel Saunders, pastor.—Services to-day will be as follows: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. E. P. Rodman, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor. Everybody is cordially invited to these meetings.

Fourth Street Baptist Church, Rev. W. F. Fisher, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. Samuel Saunders, of Calvary Baptist Church, Scottsville, and at 8 p. m. by Ray F. Staples, a ministerial student.

NAVAL ORDERS.
Paymaster George W. Simpson, to duty Bureau Accounts and Supplies.

Assistant Paymaster F. P. Sackett, detached Navy-yard, Boston, to Panther.

Assistant Paymaster W. T. Wallace, detached League Island, N. Y., to Scorpion.

Surgeon L. P. Baldwin, to examination before Naval Retiring Board.

Naval Cadet R. N. Marble, Jr., detached Marietta to Panther.

Lieutenant M. L. Miller and Lieutenant E. W. Eberlee, to Naval Academy.

Lieutenant W. K. Orice, detached from Texas, sick leave for two months.

Lieutenant G. W. Williams, detached torpedo station, Newport, to Panther.

Captain Joseph Thibbey, detached Mare Island Navy-yard, home on waiting orders.

Captain L. J. Allen, to Mare Island as captain of the Trilley.

Commander H. N. Stevenson, to duty as Inspector Union Iron Works.

Commander G. M. Brooks, detached command Adams, ordered home.

Commander Walton Goodwin, to command of Adams.

Ensign N. Mansfield, to Scorpion.

Lieutenant T. P. Magruder, to Naval Academy.

Commander R. T. Jasper, to examination before Naval Retiring Board.

Lieutenant E. H. Durell and Lieutenant H. W. Jones, detached from Solace to Naval Academy.

Commander Asa Walker, to War College, Newport, for instruction.

DIED AT THE JAIL.
On Monday night last Mr. George Cowan, who at one time kept a restaurant on Crawford street, in Bogart's new building, recently at Newport News, came up from Newport News to this city. That night he was taken with hemorrhage. Tuesday he was better, and went out on the street during the day, and the balance of the week he was drinking freely. Friday night he was on the verge of the mania portia. He was carried to the jail for protection to himself. During the night he was taken with a fit. The physician to the jail was summoned, but about 5 o'clock his soul passed to that land where no traveler ever returns. Dr. Halliday had a jury summoned. An inquest was held. The jury rendered a verdict that the deceased came to his death from natural causes. The remains were taken charge of by some friends, who had them conveyed to W. E. Johnson's undertaking establishment, where they were prepared for burial. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the above place, and will be attended by Grimes' Battery, he being a corporal in that company.BOY AND MAN MISSING.
On Monday last a colored man named Henry Walker, and his son, went down the river fishing. Nothing has been seen of either of them since, and it is feared that both have been drowned. The wife of Walker called yesterday at the Virginian-Pilot office to learn if the representative had heard of the loss of any lives during the storm. She cannot tell whether her husband and child have been drowned or whether they are stowed away out of the storm. They were in a small yawl boat, with no deck over her, and if not drowned they must have suffered from exposure. Anyone knowing anything concerning them would confer a favor by letting his wife hear from them.

We keep every shape of collars. Let us sell you your collars. Chas. R. Welton & Co.

MR. F. RIEGER SLIGHTLY IMPROVED.

Yesterday morning Mr. F. Rieger met with an accident while riding to his home on the Port Norfolk car, which came near proving serious. It seems that as the car neared the corner of Washington and South street, Mr. Rieger arose from his seat and walked to the front of the car and informed the motorman where he desired to get off. Just as he reached the door he accidentally fell to one side and pitched headlong into the street nearly under the car wheels. The car was stopped and Mr. Rieger taken to his home on Washington street, where he was attended by Dr. Hugh Parrish. The wounds—two on the head—were very painful, but are not considered serious.

PORTSMOUTH PEOPLE AWAY FROM HOME.

A special in yesterday's Richmond Dispatch from Belfast, Louisiana, county, Va., dated August 18th, says: "A tacky party was given at the country home of Dr. and Mrs. John F. Hope on August 14th, which proved to be a most enjoyable affair, and the following ladies and gentlemen took part: Mrs. K. H. Gayle, Miss Linda Young, Mr. K. H. Gayle, Miss Irene Gayle, of Portsmouth, Va., and Mrs. Mary Hill and Miss Kate Willis, of Richmond, Va. This was followed by a cake walk, in which Mr. K. H. Gayle, as Rag-Time Sal, and Miss Kate Willis, as Brown Bessie, received the prizes. The day's amusement wound up with dancing the old Virginia Reel, in true Virginia fashion."

BADLY INJURED.

Yesterday morning a horse attached to a wagon in which a colored man and woman were sitting, was passing down Glasgow street, when a limb of a tree fell striking the horse, frightening him, which caused him to rear and turn the wagon over and throwing the occupants out. The woman's head struck against a sharp rock, cutting a gash several inches long, from which the blood flowed freely. She was picked up and carried into Bass' drug store, on Green street, where the wound was dressed. The horse was stopped by a colored man near Middle street, and was driven back to where the owner was thrown out. The man was only skinned a little. The two got in the wagon, which was slightly damaged, and started for their home, near Shoulder Hill.

WILL DECIDE AGAINST THE COUNTY.

Judge A. S. Watts will at the September term of his court render his decision in the case of the Board of Supervisors of Norfolk county vs. John W. Cox, in the condemnation of land which the county wants for court house purposes. It is said that it will be in favor of Mr. Cox and against the board. It is rumored that the Board of Supervisors will take the matter to the Court of Appeals, but of this no one knows.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. PORTSMOUTH.

The Park View Land and Improvement Company to John H. Downing, lot east side of Edgingham street, 45 feet north of Stonewall; \$400.

Z. T. Holland to H. L. Alexander and H. H. Parr, latest side Sixth street, 44 feet south of Henry; \$400.

NORFOLK COUNTY.

P. Richardson to J. Jones, lot 24 on plat of South Portsmouth Land and Improvement Company; \$100.

SUNDAY AT Y. M. C. A.

Two services will be conducted at the Y. M. C. A. building to-day.

At 4 o'clock the young men of Owen's Memorial M. E. Church will be in charge of the third meeting in the special services for August. Good singing and short, practical talks are the features of these meetings. All young men are invited.

The Boys' Gospel Army will meet at 3 o'clock.

POCAHONTAS DISABLED.

The steamer Pocahontas while coming to the wharf in this city yesterday, in making a landing she broke her beam center which disabled her so that she could not leave until late in the afternoon. A duplicate one was sent from Newport News, but it was too large. After some additional work it was made to fit and the steamer left for Richmond late in the afternoon.

FOR SALE—ROW BOAT, 15 POINTS.

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5 CIGARS, 4.00 AND 4.25 BOX OF.

50, Set Silverware worth \$10.00 free to customers. Call before all sold. RICH. D. GUY, 27 High street. ault-1w

FOR RENT—DOUBLE HOUSE, 211

and 317 Fayette street, convenient to navy-yard. Apply 527 Harrison street. it

WANTED—TABLE BOARDERS. APPLY AT 405 GLASGOW STREET. ault-1w

LOST, STRAYED, OR STOLEN.—

Scottie, Collie Dog, yellow with white stomach, legs and face. Black spot on tail. Return to J. J. HUMPHRETT, 429 Edgingham street and receive reward. it

NOTICE.

The storm is over and I have plenty of the best dry wood, such as dry board ends, dry fresh water slab wood and dry pine wood, all sheltered to keep dry.

H. B. WILKINS

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W. & J. Parker's Eureka Flour.

For its strength, whiteness and appetizing flavor. You can make the whitest and lightest bread with a less amount of this flour than with any other. Ask your grocer for it. Take no other.

IF YOU HAVE THE LEAST IDEA

Of having a New Fall suit made to order, don't until you see what values THE BRANDT CO. are offering. We use first-class goods, employ the best workmen and take pains to see that every detail of cutting and making is right. Our prices are as low as possible for the quality of work we give you. Try us. We guarantee every garment we sell.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.—Our Shoes must give good, honest service or we don't want your money. If your foot is hard to fit give us the trial. Largest variety, latest styles, best quality, lowest prices.

STRICTLY ONE PRICE.
FOR CASH ONLY—

THE BRANDT CO., 213 and 215 High St.

Columbia Park
GRANDSACRED
MUSIC

.. ON SUNDAYS ..

4 TO 7 P. M.
A CARD!

Portsmouth, Va., Aug. 12, 1899.

The Portsmouth Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, at its regular monthly meeting, held August 11, 1899, unanimously adopted a resolution of thanks to Messrs. Phillips, Mahoney & Co. for their generous donation of \$50 to the company in appreciation of services rendered at the last fire on the morning of July 25, and desire to publicly express to those gentlemen sincere gratitude for their magnificent donation and high regard in which they will ever hold them as progressive, public spirited citizens.

RICHARD D. GUY.

Proposals for Curbing and Paving.

Office Local Board of Improvement, Fifth Ward, Portsmouth, Va., August 15, 1899.

Bids will be opened at the office of John L. Watson, No. 399 High street, this city, addressed to the Local Board of Improvement of Fifth Ward on the 21st DAY OF AUGUST, 1899, at 8 p. m. for furnishing all tools, sand and cement and performing all the labor required in setting granite CURBING and PAVING gutters with stone on those certain streets particularly named in specifications, in strict accordance with the plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the City Surveyor.

Bids for SETTING CURBING must be made at so much per lineal foot and PAVING THE GUTTERS with granite blocks at so much per square yard. Each bid must be on blank form, to be had at the office of the City Surveyor. The right to accept or reject any one or more of the bids to the exclusion of the others, or to reject all of them, is specially reserved.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of two hundred and fifty (\$250.00) dollars, as a guarantee that the bidder will give satisfactory bond and enter into a bona fide contract if the same be awarded him; the amount of the check to be forfeited to the city of Portsmouth should the bidder fail to do so.

No bid will be considered unless made in strict conformity to this advertisement.

JOHN L. WATSON, Chairman.
L. M. PALMER, Secretary. ault-1d

For a Nice Cold Luncheon

Roast Turkey, Chicken and Duck, Boneless Turkey and Chicken, Brook Trout, Fine Sardines, Lobster, Salmon, Tomatoes, Herring, Lunch Tongue, Pickled Ham and Tongue, Corned Beef, Sliced Smoked Beef, Vienna Sausage, etc.

E. R. BARKSDALE
BOTH PHONES. 123 COURT ST.

FOR RENT.

Durable Brick Dwelling No. 401 Dinwiddie street 8 rooms; gas, bath, range, sewerage and other conveniences. Rent \$25 per month.

JNO. L. WATSON, Portsmouth, Va.

CORNED SPOTS!

NEW CORNED SPOTS, MACKEREL, HERRINGS, ETC.

BEST TEA AND COFFEE
TO BE FOUND HERE.R. E. KING,
299 COURT STREET.

NO TROUBLE TO GET A MEAL.

A number of married men's families are away. They should go to PEARSON'S for their meals or for a lunch. Everything first-class and served quick.

Ferry Lunch Rooms.

SUMMER INSTRUCTION!

As a number of pupils have expressed a desire to continue their music through the summer, Miss Clay will teach on MONDAYS, TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS at her studio, 115 North street, Park View.

M. ROSENBAUM'S
RETIRING SALE.

DRAWING TO A CLOSE.

The entire stock must be sold quickly. Prices this week lower than ever before. Up-to-date Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods at less than half their actual cost. This is an opportunity you can't afford to miss.

Notice the Remarkable Offerings below:

Unlaundered White Shirts, 4-ply linen bosom—worth 50c., to go at.....29c.

Jean Drawers—worth 35c., to go at....19½c.

Men's Garters. The 25c. grade to go at.....13c.

The 15c. grade to go at.....9c.

Linen Crash Suits—worth \$2.50—to go at.....\$1.39

Guaranteed Serge Suits that sell everywhere for \$12.50—to go at \$7.98

Fancy Worsted Suits—worth \$12 and \$13.50—reduced to.....\$7.98

Children's Suits. \$2.50 values.....\$1.39

\$3.00 values.....\$1.59

\$4.00 values.....\$1.79

Black and Tan Hose that sell everywhere for 15c.—to go at.....9c.

M. ROSENBAUM,

116 and 118 High St., Portsmouth, Va.

A GREAT SELLING OF
Boys' Suits.

Commencing TO-MORROW MORNING and continuing for one week, will offer our entire stock of BOYS' KNEE PANTS SUITS at prices less than actual cost. A splendid chance, mothers, to get a good suit for your boy at a very small price. Here's the way they'll go:

\$1.00 for Suits which sold up to \$2.00.

\$1.50 for Suits which sold up to \$3.00.

\$1.98 for Suits which sold up to \$4.00.

\$2.50 for Suits which sold up to \$4.50.

\$3.48 for Suits which sold up to \$6.00.

THE NEW YORK CLOTHING CO.,

214 High Street, Portsmouth, Va.

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Did You See Those Shirts

—in our window that we are selling for \$5c., that are worth \$1.00, and some \$1.25 apiece? Did you get any of that fine CALBRIGGAN UNDERWEAR, regular price 25 and 35c., that we are closing out for 23c.—either long or short sleeves?

Do you need a SUIT OF CLOTHES or an ODD PAIR TROUSERS 33½ per cent. below the price?

If you want to save money call and see

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A FULL LINE OF QUILTS and SHEETS

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Table Damask, Napkins, &c.

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